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Shunpei YAMAZAKI et al.)
Based On Application No. 09/818,513) Art Unit: 1746
Which Was Filed: March 28, 2001) Examiner: G. Winter
For: FILM-FORMING APPARATUS, METHOD)
OF CLEANING THE SAME, AND METHOD)
OF MANUFACTURING A LIGHT-EMITTING)
DEVICE) Date: January 5, 2004

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In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicants hereby submit the following information in conformance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98. A copy of U.S. Patent No. 5,650,013 is submitted herewith.

The remaining references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 were cited in parent application Serial No. 09/818,513 filed March 28, 2001, from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 120.

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